

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE APPLICATION OF:

AKHILESWAR GANESH VAIDYANATHAN ET. AL.

SERIAL NO.: 09/851,674

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**GROUP ART UNIT: 1631** 

**EXAMINER: KENEDY** 

FOR: METHOD OF DISCOVERING PATTERNS IN SYMBOL SEQUENCES

## **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## **Introductory Comments**

In response to the Office Action dated August 10, 2004, the time for response to which has been extended for two (2) months, to and including January 10, 2005, please amend the captioned application as set forth herein.

Sir: